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Gerald Walter Fischer *et al.*

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For: OPSONIC AND PROTECTIVE  
MONOCLONAL AND CHIMERIC  
ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR LIPOTEICHOIC  
ACID OF GRAM POSITIVE BACTERIA

Examiner: N. Archie

**ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR 1.27(c)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Small entity status for the above-identified application is hereby asserted under 37 C.F.R. 1.27(c)(1). A Supplemental Application Data Sheet indicating the change of entity status from large to small is submitted herewith.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080, under Order No. SYNI-003CN.

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